For the 2023-24 school year, a per-student fee of \$25 per year will be charged for students attending Saskatoon high schools. This cost will be added to student fee invoices and can be paid using MySchoolBucks.

This cost-recovery fee will help cover the expense of supervision that is not funded by provincial operating grants. In the past, the division absorbed this expense. Inflationary pressures have forced the division to make difficult financial decisions, including the addition of this fee.

The level of supervision needed for high school students (compared to elementary students) is different, but they still require monitoring and supervision. The modest fee reflects that and the fact that some students only occasionally spend lunch at school.

Instructions to create a <u>MySchoolBucks</u> account, login, and pay fees through <u>MySchoolBucks</u> can be found at <u>https://go.gscs.ca/nls</u>. You can also find some answers to some <u>frequently asked questions</u>.

Technical questions about <u>MySchoolBucks</u> accounts and payments can be directed to them at 1-855-832-5226.

If you have general questions about student fees, please contact the office at bishop.james@gscs.ca or 306-659-7504.